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For: PHOTOGRAPHIC SOLID FINE-GRAIN DISPERSION, METHOD FOR  
PREPARING THE SAME, AND SILVER HALIDE PHOTOGRAPHIC LIGHT-  
SENSITIVE MATERIAL

REQUEST FOR ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RECEIPT OF CERTIFIED COPIES OF FOREIGN  
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Sir:

In reviewing the above-identified application file, the undersigned has noted that the Examiner has not acknowledged receipt of the certified copies of the priority documents filed February 11, 2004. The Examiner is respectfully requested to acknowledge receipt of the certified priority documents.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. §1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

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